

Dear friend.

Should you  
go to England this sum-  
-mer, I want you to ask  
Mrs. Lyne to do me  
a kindness; viz, to  
mark both in Poems  
& Synops what is true-  
to retain, should they

ever be made one.  
To me it seems that  
half of each volume  
at least should have  
after be omitted;  
but if the marks  
fewer, they will make  
a better book.

Ever yours affectionately  
John B. Tabb.